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A Mother's Appeal to the Business Men of Maysville

It is a shame in the face of a civilized Maysville for so many business men to take the stand they have taken against the abolition of the saloon. Evidently we are only half civilized or we would not have tolerated these bar-rooms so long in the faces of our boys, fathers and husbands.

In God's name may these men see the error of their way, put aside their greed for supposed gain, and come to their senses sufficiently to be able to see that they have made a bad bargain if "they gain the whole world" out of money made on whiskey if they lose their own boys, and this mother's boy and another mother's boy, and another have wrecked lives and fill drunkards' graves.

Suppose these men are acting from a mercenary motive and that they gain in the contest, can they not see that while they may call themselves business men that they are sowing seeds of destruction, that they are blind leaders of the blind and that as sure as harvest follows seed-time a crop of wrecked lives must result from a "wet" Maysville. Heart strings will continue to be torn asunder and the very earth groan beneath our feet when we are called to lay away in her bosom the wrecked bodies of fathers and sons, the remains of debauched and wasted lives, ruined by the saloons that these men seek to fasten upon us.

Now, business men, citizens of dear old Maysville, I have often thought that I would like to live in town for the sake of the conveniences. When my friends have asked me: "What town would you like?" I have always said: "Maysville appeals to me. Her citizenry is so familiar, I would not want to go among strangers. I love

my own the best."

But the dawn of another day came and my eyes were dimmed with tears when last September it came to the time to send our only child, our son, to his first term of High School. It was so hard to commit his tender life into your keeping with so many saloons on all sides and corners. The first thing in sight after leaving his train is a bar-room, a pretty sight to greet the eyes of school boys!

Oh, business men of Maysville, why longer will you insist on keeping these places in our midst when you know too well the danger? We are compelled to send our sons to you if we educate and train them for business. I could only ask God to direct my boy's footsteps. But God will not always be merciful to us if we do not try to help ourselves. So I did the only thing I knew to do. I called to see Prof. Caplinger and asked him please to try to keep my boy under his care and not permit him when not in school to loaf on the streets. I did not know whether at his tender age, my boy's will power would be sufficient to resist all your dangerous temptations. We have no assurance that men are ever old enough to be safe against temptation.

Now, business men of dear old Maysville, I implore you, do not through this mistaken notion of business interests spread snares for the feet of your own boys and for the boys of country mothers who must send their dear ones to you. As far as in you lies place only that which will uplift and enable before my boy and your own.

Let the accursed saloons with all they stand for go.

A COUNTRY MOTHER.

"You Can Not Legislate Morals into a Man"

The apologists of the Liquor Traffic are continually echoing Mr. Henry Watterson's saying: "You can not legislate morals into a man."

No one ever tried; but you can legislate against men conducting in the open and under protection of the law a business that makes other men immoral. This has been done many times and in many places with encouraging degrees of success.

You can not stop murder, theft, gambling, adultery, false swearing and many other evils by law; but you can attach to each a heavy penalty and discourage these evils instead of licensing them.

Heathen China is destroying by law the opium traffic forced on her by Christian England. The yellow man may yet teach the white man the true meaning of civilization.

The Business Men's Association will admit that drinking intoxicating liquors is bad for a man's health, character and business. Not one of them wants his son or his employee to be even a moderate drinker. But they want somebody else's son and somebody else's employee to drink liquor

ville. The country people understand the proposition. The county people understand the proposition.

It is the purpose of the law to conserve the health, character, and business interests of the community by making it easy to do right and hard to do wrong.

The open saloon not only makes it easy to do wrong, but suggests and invites to wrong doing.

The confirmed drinker hunts liquor. The Liquor Traffic hunts men to make them drinkers and spends vast sums of money in seductive advertising in the effort to attract men to drink.

The law can not prevent the drinker from hunting drink, but it can prevent drink hunting the drinker by keeping open-shop and by attractive advertising.

THAT IS WHAT PROHIBITION PROPOSES TO DO.

The advocates of Prohibition have never claimed nor even hoped that it wholly annihilates the drink habit; but they do claim that it will reduce the number of victims of drink to the irreducible minimum.

"NOT GUILTY"

Is Verdict in Famous Reese Clark Case. Defendant Acquitted of Charge of Manslaughter.

The jury in the case of Mr. Reese Clark, charged with manslaughter, yesterday afternoon returned a verdict of not guilty. The case went to the jury yesterday shortly after noon and after being out two and one-half hours the jury returned the above verdict.

The defense was ably handled by Attorneys Worthington, Cochran and Browning, of this city, Granis of Flemingsburg and Judge Holmes of Carlisle.

The prosecuting attorneys were: Hennessy, Buckner and McCartney. Mr. Clarke, it will be remembered, shot and killed William White, 19, near Sardis, on Wednesday, May 28, 1913.

He was brought to Maysville and placed in jail. On the 29th he was allowed bail in the sum of \$5,000. He furnished bail and was taken to Wilson Hospital to be treated for injuries he received in his fight with young White. His examining trial was set for June 5th, but on account of Mr. Clark's weakened condition the trial was postponed until June 11th. There was some little difficulty deciding as to whether the crime had been committed in Mason or Robertson county. The ground was surveyed and it was declared to have been committed in Mason. Clarke was tried and held to the Grand Jury.

Some very eloquent speeches were made by the attorneys on each side.

DR. PORTER HERE SUNDAY NIGHT.

Rev. J. W. Porter, the former popular pastor of the First Baptist Church, Maysville, will speak in the interest of local option at the courthouse Sunday evening at 8 o'clock.

As Dr. Porter wishes to reach the voters, the ladies are kindly invited to stay away, as there will be seats only for the men.

Bookwood 30—cut coffee now 25 cents. YELL & DAVIS.



You Know It!
A little joy ride
Now and then,
Is very expensive
To most men.

MR. THOMAS ALLISON

One of the Oldest and Most Highly Respected Citizens, Died at His Home in the County, This Morning.

Mr. Thomas Allison, one of the county's most highly respected citizens, died at his home on the Clark's Run Pike this morning at 8:15 o'clock, aged 79 years. His death was due to senile debility.

Mr. Allison has been in very poor health for some time, but his illness had been acute only since Monday.

He is survived by his wife and seven children: Mrs. Charles Hunter, Mrs. William Durrett, Mrs. John Cochran, of this county; Mrs. Edward Rennie, of Cincinnati, and Misses Allie and Jessie Allison, and Mr. Robert Allison, of this county.

Mrs. Allison was formerly Miss Elizabeth Brammel.

Mr. Allison was a member of the Presbyterian Church at Washington, and was one of the prominent farmers of this section.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been announced, but the burial will be in the Maysville Cemetery.

HOPE FOR MISS SHANKLIN'S RECOVERY.

There is no change for the worse in the condition of Miss Ellen Shanklin and her physician, Dr. Reed, says she now has more than an even chance for recovery. Mr. Virgil Robb arrived from Fort Myers, Florida, yesterday morning to be at the bedside of his fiancée.

Mr. Elmer Hays, who has been attending school at Jasper College, Jasper, Ind., returned yesterday to resume his studies.

BADLY BURNED

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Best Met With Sad Accident in Vallejo, Cal.

Yesterday afternoon Miss Louise Best, of East Second street, in response to a telegram, left for Vallejo, Cal., to minister to her brother and his wife, both of whom were badly burned by a gas explosion at their home in that city.

Commander Best is one of Uncle Sam's most promising young naval officers, and for a year or so past has been in sole command of the Cruiser Stewart, fronting the Mexican border on the Pacific Coast.

Recently his ship was ordered to the Mare Island Navy Yard for repairs, and Commander Best and his family took up their residence in Vallejo, where himself and Mrs. Best met with the deplorable accident.

While their injuries are necessarily painful, so far as present advice is at hand, they are not thought to be dangerous.

OUTDOOR SPEAKING TONIGHT.

Rev. H. B. Willhoyte and Rev. J. E. Reed will speak at tonight's open-air meeting at the corner of Third street and Forest avenue. A. invited. Speaking begins at 7 o'clock.

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The fittest clothes for our customers are those that fit their tastes, their figures and their position in life. We've obtained this all round fit in our Fall Clothes at exceedingly moderate prices.

Our Young Men's Fall Suits include last moment models cut on English lines, soft fronts and patch pockets, ranging in prices from \$15 to \$30.

Our line for the plain, conservative dresser, we believe to be the best in the state. We used our utmost diligence to secure this line for the economic buyer. Prices range from \$10 to \$20.

Everything in Overcoats you can imagine from snug-shouldered, full-skirted Balmacaans to conservative cuts with form-hugging backs.

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See our new Fall Hats. None like them in town.

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Made from selected yarn of at least 35 per cent. higher grade than is usually put in 25c stockings.

Three-ply heels and toes and four-inch double tops.

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Each day finds new arrivals hanging on the racks and in the cases.

There aren't many of each kind, but there is a pleasing variety of styles and colors.

If you are seeking suits that are different—that you won't see duplicated everywhere—let us show you these.

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All Columbus Buggies, regular price \$140, sale price, 127.85, Cash.

All Brockway Buggies, regular price \$135, sale price \$120, Cash.

All \$125 Buggies, during this sale \$110, Cash.

All \$100 Buggies, during this sale \$87.50, Cash.

All \$24 Harness, during this sale \$20.50, Cash.

All \$22 Harness, during this sale \$18.25, Cash.

All \$20 Harness, during this sale \$16.25, Cash.

Now's your time to get your Buggy and Harness, for the cash is what we want. We are determined to sell every article in our house for cost in order to turn them into money.

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